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In re Application of:

Srinivasan, et al.

Application No.: 09/896,446

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For: **Method And Apparatus For SEN-REF  
Equalization**

) Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

) Art Unit: 2818

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**  
(Filing Date Granted)

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing parts of Application (Filing Date  
Granted) mailed August 20, 2001 please find enclosed:

- (1) a duly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney with respect to  
the above-referenced patent application;
- (2) **nine (9)** sheets of substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R.  
1.84;
- (3) a check in the amount of \$130.00 in payment of the surcharge of  
37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e);

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(4) a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application;

If any additional fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A duplicate of this Response is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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